

SENATE BILL 825

By Yarbro

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
Chapter 17, Part 4 and Title 40, relative to
controlled substances.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-417(c), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision (2) and redesignating the existing subdivision:

(2) Fentanyl is a Class B felony and, in addition, may be fined not more than one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000);

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-417(g)(1), is amended by deleting the language "Class E felony" and substituting instead the language "Class A misdemeanor".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-417(g)(2), is amended by deleting the language "Class D felony" and substituting instead the language "Class E felony".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-417(g)(3), is amended by deleting the language "Class C felony" and substituting instead the language "Class D felony".

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it.